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# **Special Features**

# Intertek Expands Global Lighting Capabilities with New Certified Body Status for LED Lamps in Brazil

Intertek recently expanded its global capabilities, enhancing its industry-leading breadth of services and response time for lighting manufacturers with a new accreditation in Brazil. In July, Intertek's São Paulo facility was accredited by the National Institute of Metrology, Quality, and Technology (INMETRO) as a certification body for LED lamps with integrated control device to the base.



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# Intertek Launches E-Fit Support Services – An Innovative Program to Support Fashion Product Development

Intertek is dedicated to supporting the increasing demand for textile manufacturing in India through innovations. As part of our commitment, Intertek launched the Computer Aided Design (CAD) E-Fit Support Service, which has received positive feedback from manufacturers.



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# Update of IEC-EN 60598-1: General Safety Requirements for Luminaries

Safety testing is very important to luminaires suppliers as unsafe luminaires may lead to electrical shocks or accidental fire. As a responsible supplier of luminaires, you should ensure that your products are safe and fully compliant with the applicable safety requirements. In January 2015, EN 60598-1: 2015 was published to supersede EN 60598-1:2008+A11:2009, which will be withdrawn in Oct. 2017.



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### **Company Activity**

#### Intertek Product Safety Forum 2015 in Australia

Product Intelligence is the focus of this year's Product Safety Information Forum, which will be held in Melbourne, Sydney and Brisbane. The forum will feature keynote speakers from the retail, manufacturing and regulatory fields, including the Australian Competition and Consumer Commission (ACCC) and the Electrical Regulatory Authorities Council (ERAC). The event will be another great opportunity for participants to discuss leading assurance practices with regulators and industry players in Australia.

Click here to enroll now!

### **Intertek China Hosts Ethics and Compliance Training**

In the highly competitive and complex global market, business ethics may not be the a top priority for companies, which may result in bringing negative effects to the environment or communities in which they operates. Implementing compliance management and promoting ethical practice internally has become a big challenge for many companies.

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#### **Intertek Seminars | September - October 2015**

## **Tradegood**

### **Tradegood Buyer Summit on Sep 17**

Tradegood Buyer Summit brings you the latest supply-chain intelligence and sourcing insights, opportunities for face-to-face communication between buyers and suppliers. The Mini Expo and a host of other exciting activities can help buyers connect with a wide range of Chinese suppliers on their doorstep. This is one of Tradegood's signature events that you can't miss!



Date: September 17
Time: 1:30pm - 5:30pm

Venue: Intertek Shenzhen MGS Office

#### ENROLL

#### [Tradegood Viewpoints] Global Souring Tips: In the event of Oil Price Fluctuations



In this day and age, with increased volatility in oil prices, nothing is certain. With oil prices directly impacting transportation costs, it's hard for manufacturers, wholesalers and retailers to avoid constant changes in supply-chain costs caused by oil

price fluctuations.

This new Tradegood Viewpoints article outlines the main sourcing strategies for buyers managing supply-chain costs during oil price hikes and drops. [More]

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